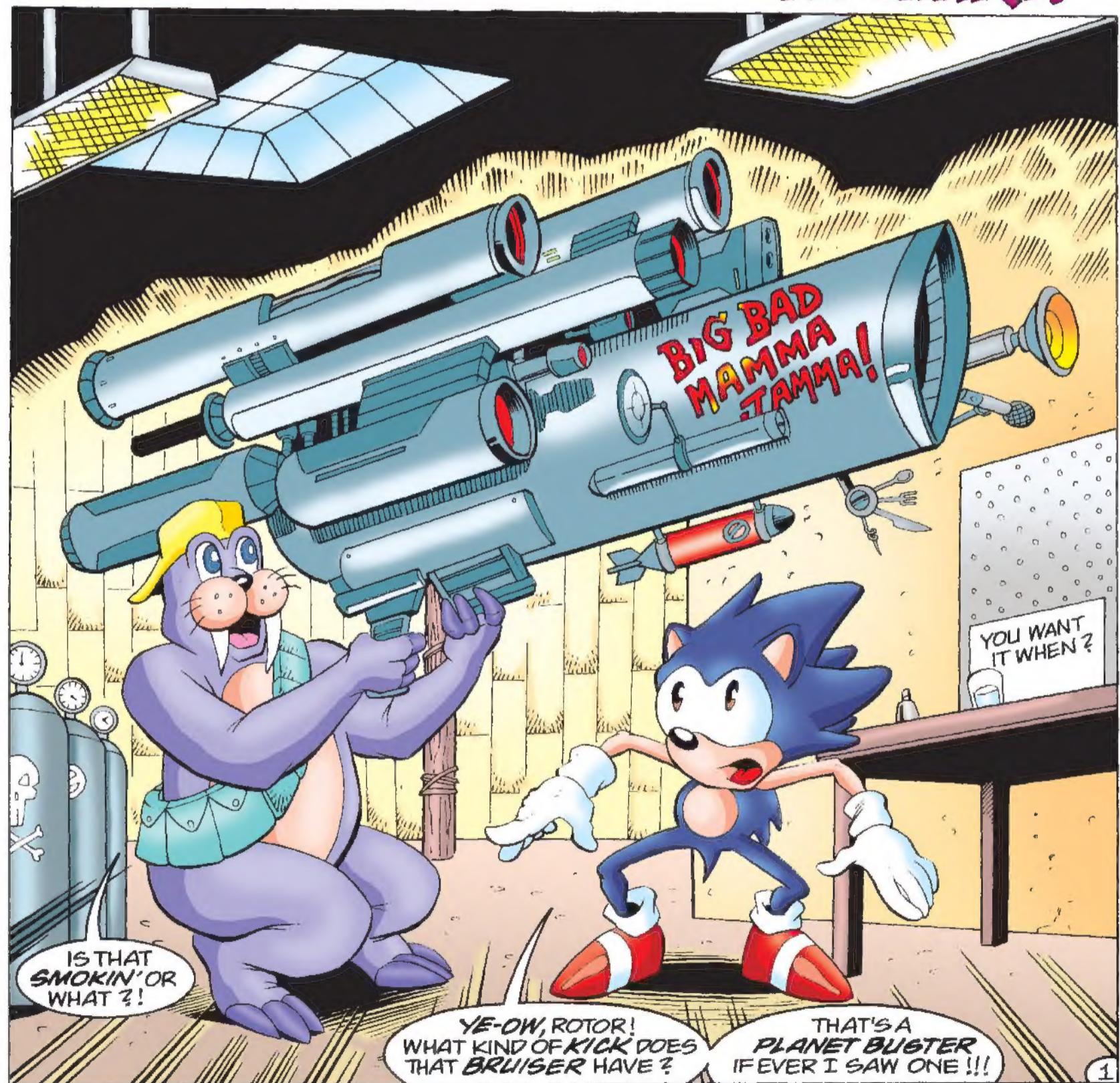


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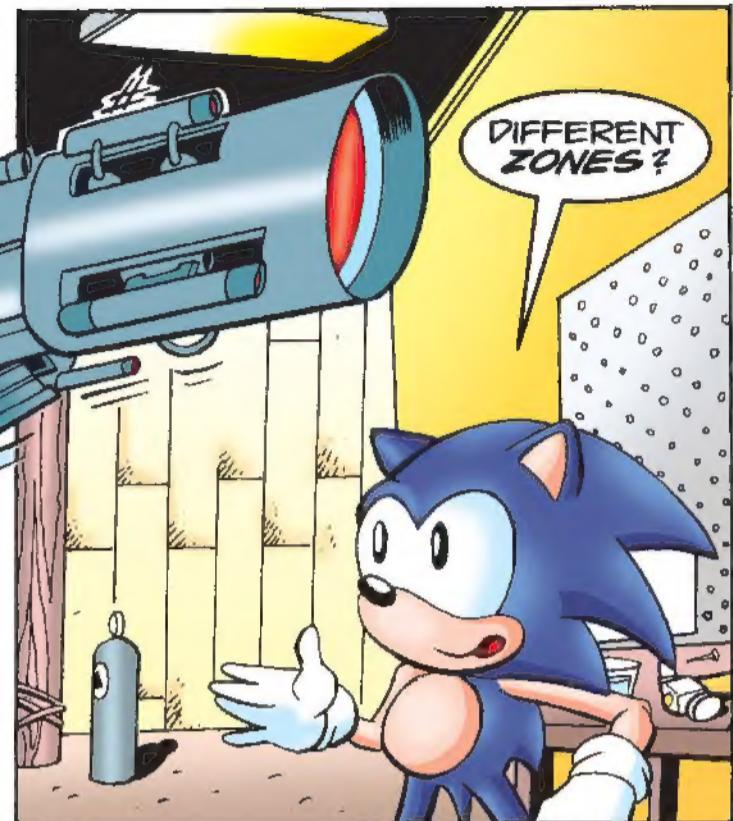




ACTUALLY, IT'S
MY PARTY-HEARTY
QUADRA-SONIC
ROCK'N'ROLLER!

THIS THING'LL BLOW
THROUGH DOORS, WALLS,
IMPERMEABLE BARRIERS,
YOU NAME IT!

DIFFERENT
ZONES?



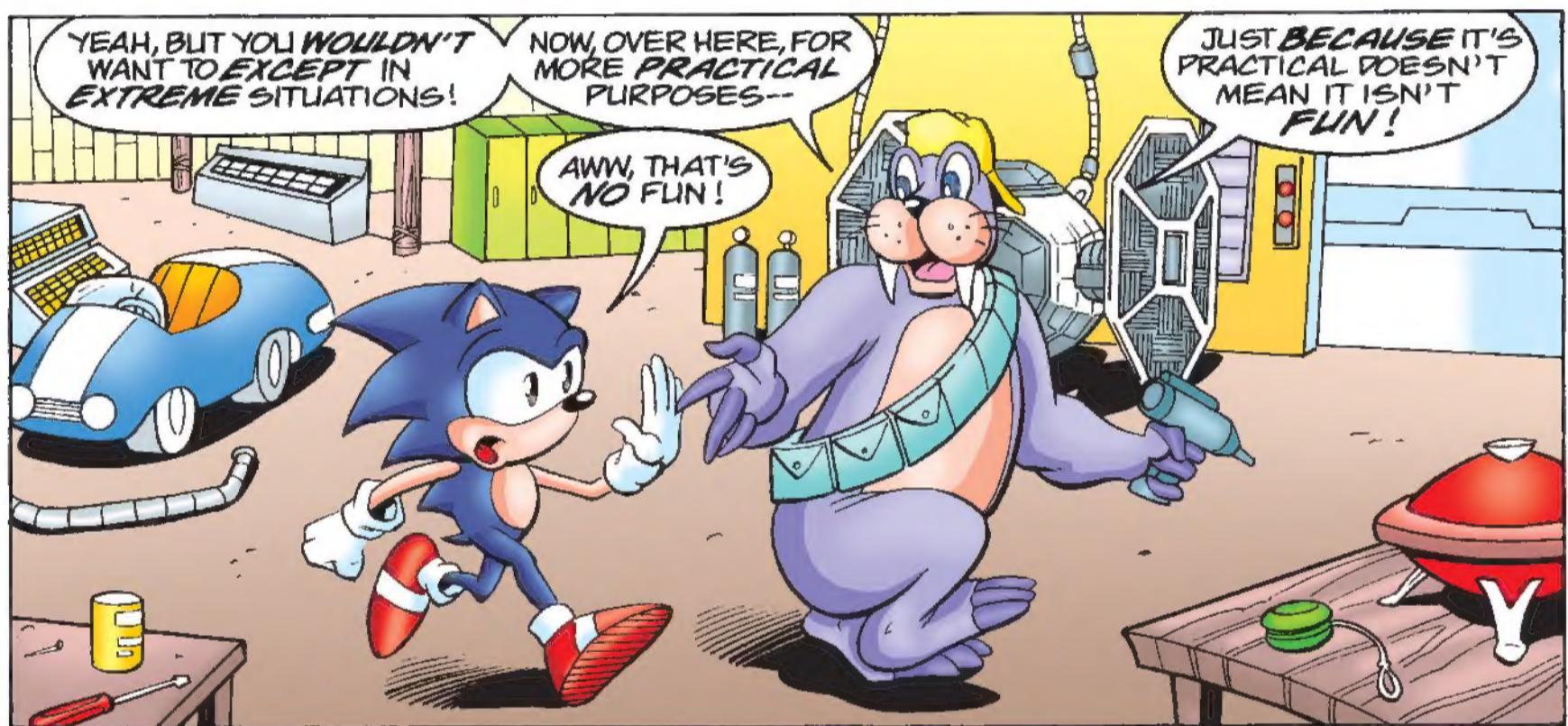
YEAH, BUT YOU WOULDN'T
WANT TO EXCEPT IN
EXTREME SITUATIONS!

NOW, OVER HERE, FOR
MORE PRACTICAL
PURPOSES--



AWN, THAT'S
NO FUN!

JUST BECAUSE IT'S
PRACTICAL DOESN'T
MEAN IT ISN'T
FUN!



AND THE DAY
EATING QUITS
BEING FUN--

HOLD IT!
THE
ALARM!

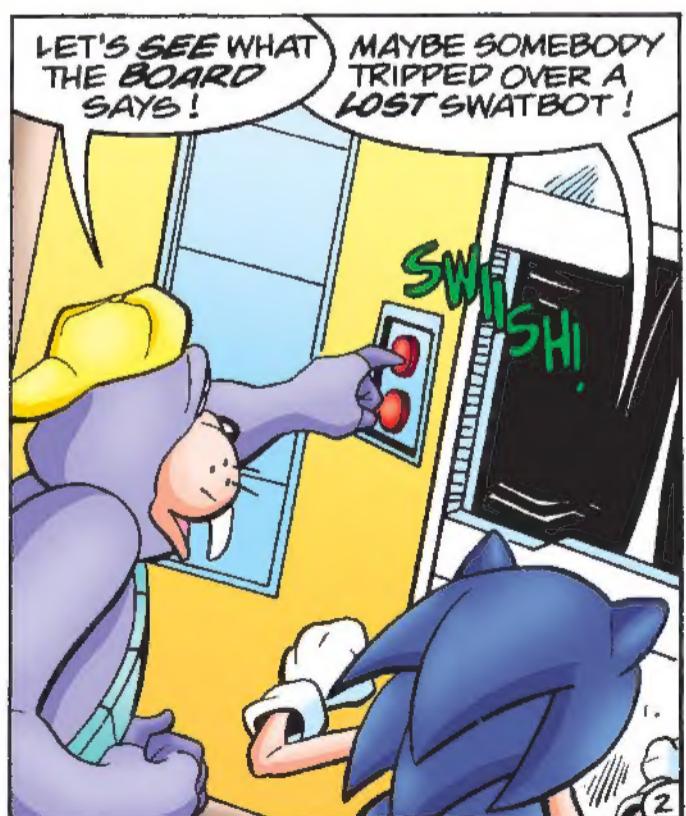
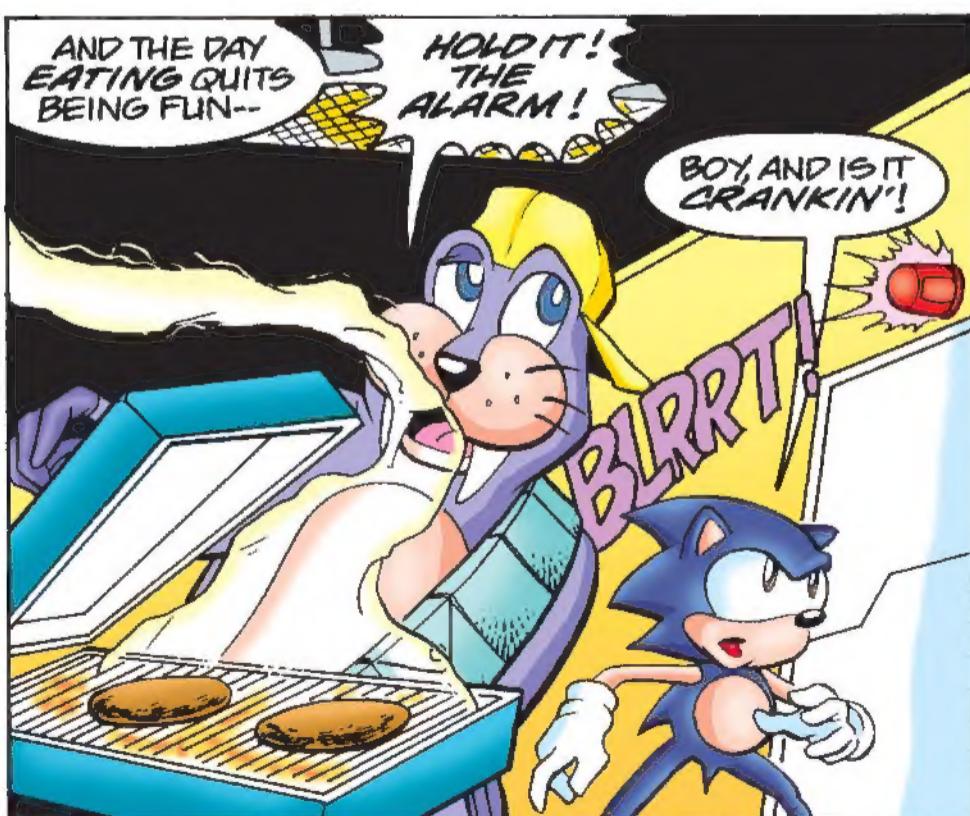
BOY, AND IS IT
CRANKIN'!

BLRRRT!

LET'S SEE WHAT
THE BOARD
SAYS!

MAYBE SOMEBODY
TRIPPED OVER A
LOST SWATBOT!

SWISH!



IT'S WORSE THAN THAT

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

MUCH WORSE!

ACCORDING TO THIS, SOMETHING CATASTROPHIC IS HAPPENING ON THE FLOATING ISLAND!

BLACK AND BLUE AND RED ALL OVER

PART I

Y'MEAN
KNUCKLES
IS IN
TROUBLE!

KEN PENDERS WRITES IT--MANNY GALAN PENCILS IT--ANDREW PEPOY INKS IT--VICKIE WILLIAMS LETTERS IT--
BARRY GROSSMAN COLORS IT--JUSTIN "FREDDY" GABRIE EDITS IT--VICTOR GORELIK MNG. EDITOR--RICHARD GOLDWATER CHIEF

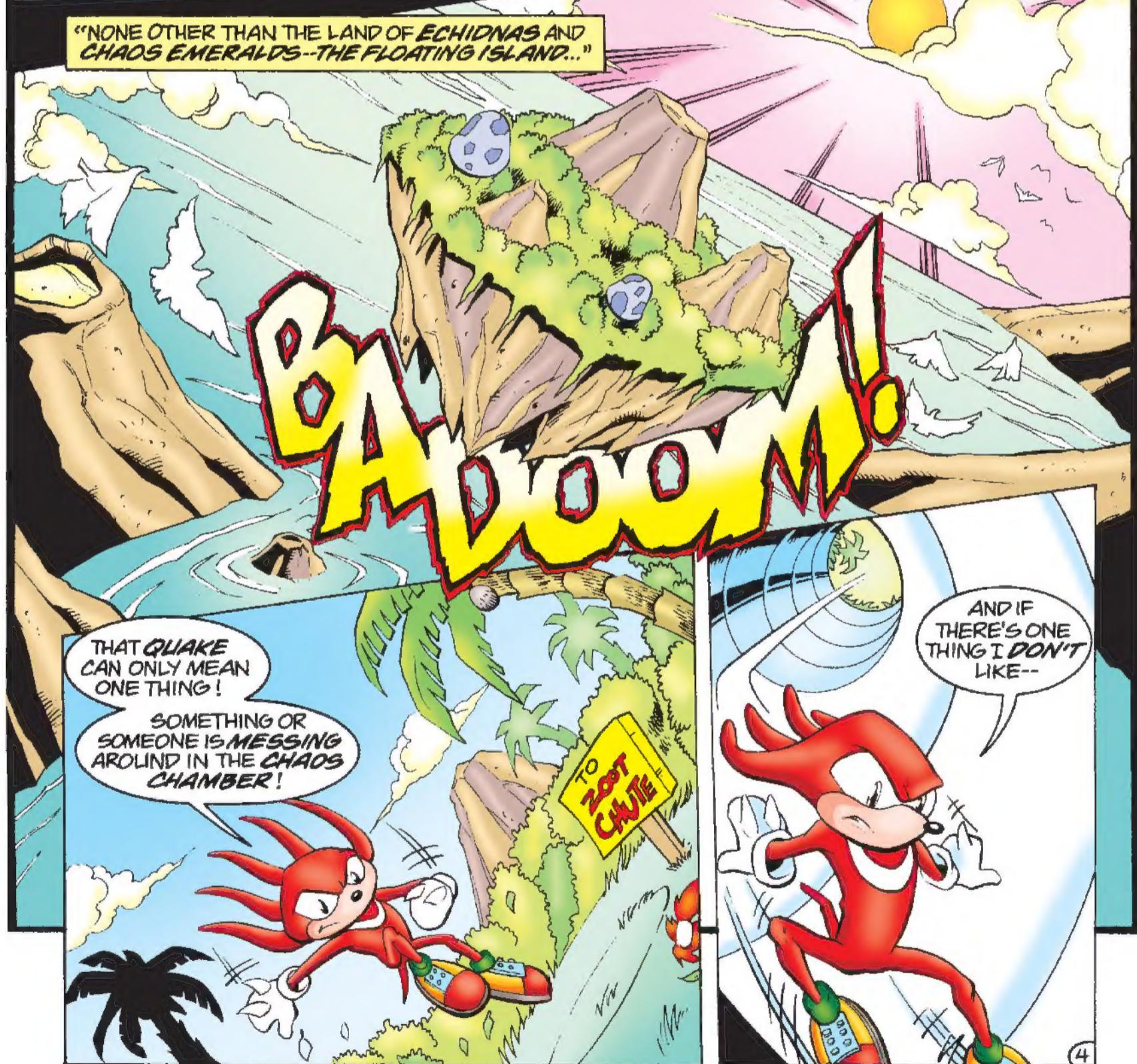
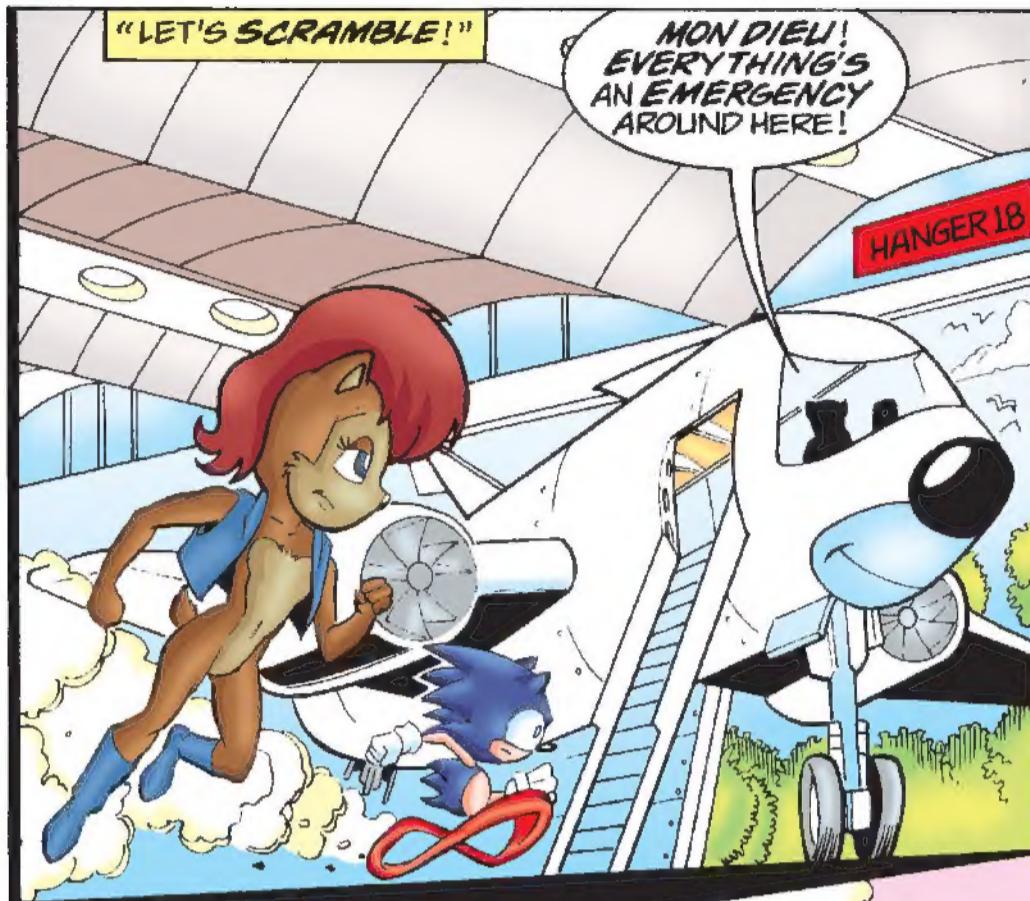
WELL, THAT'S ONE WAY OF PUTTING IT, SONIC!

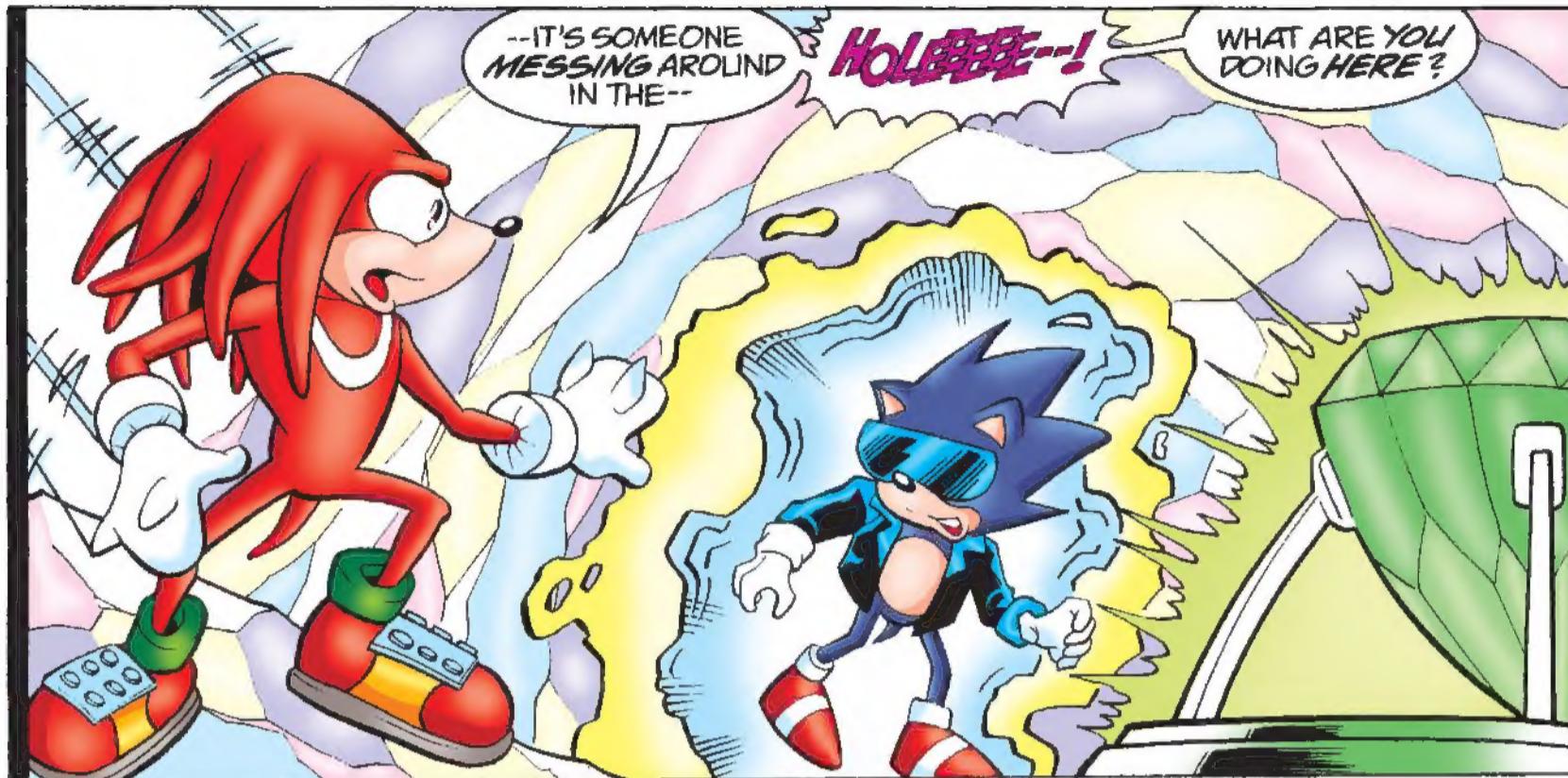
I'D BETTER ALERT THE PRINCESS!

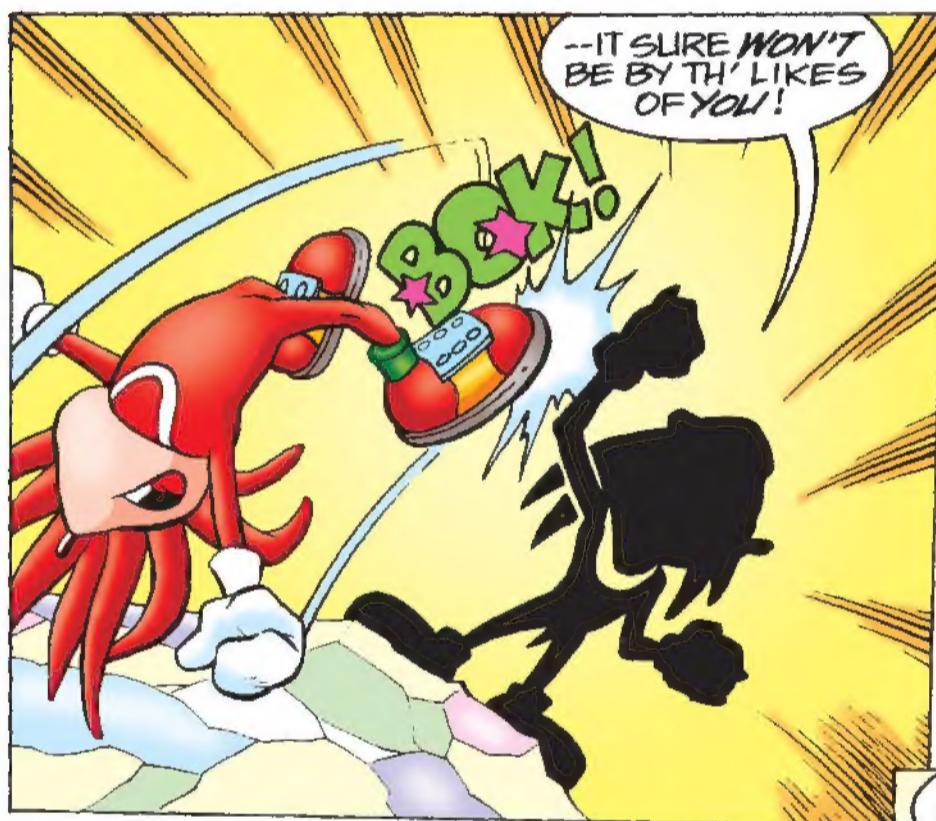
NO NEED, ROTOR! I'M ALREADY HERE!

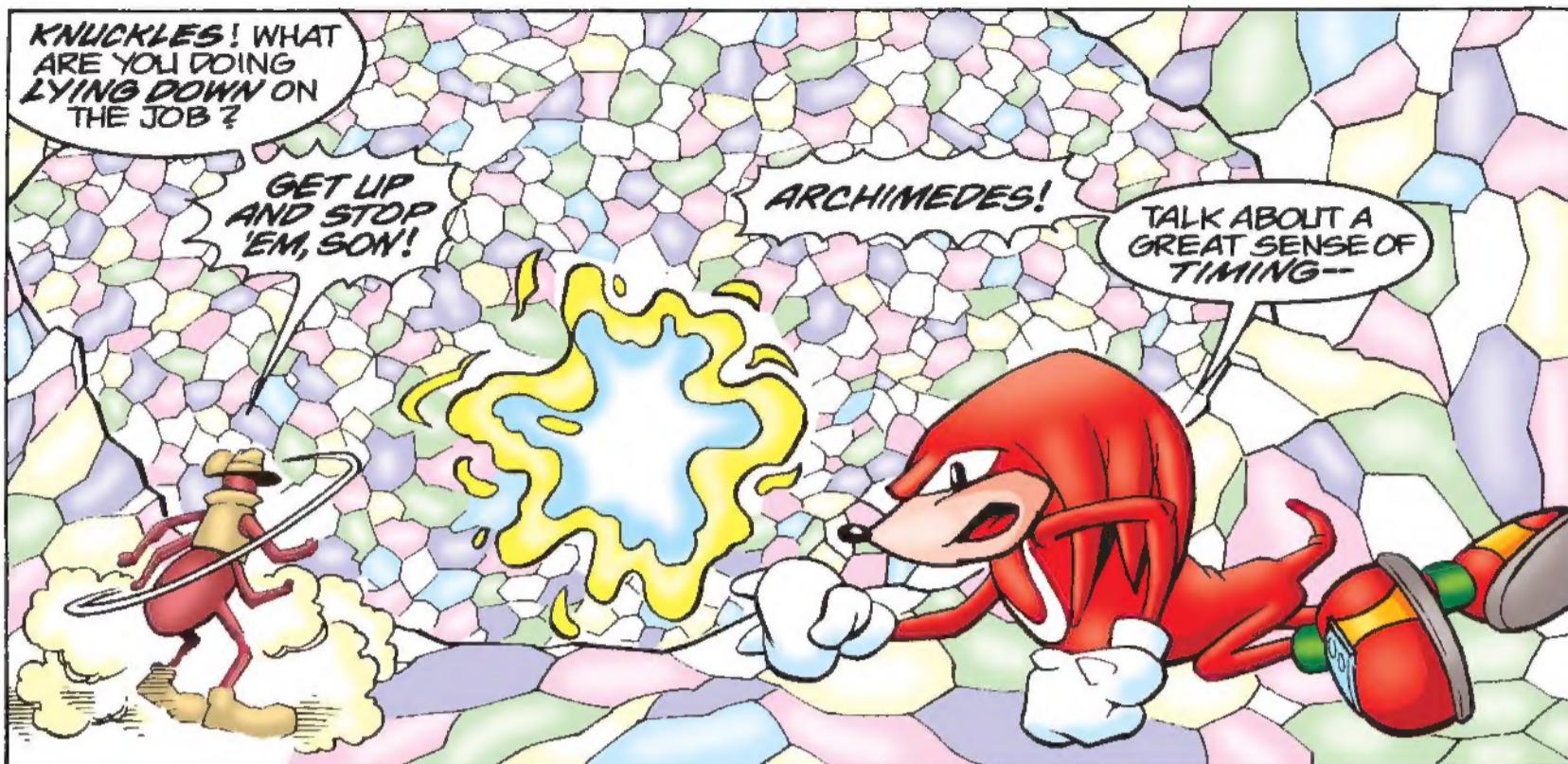
ALRIGHT, EVERYONE--

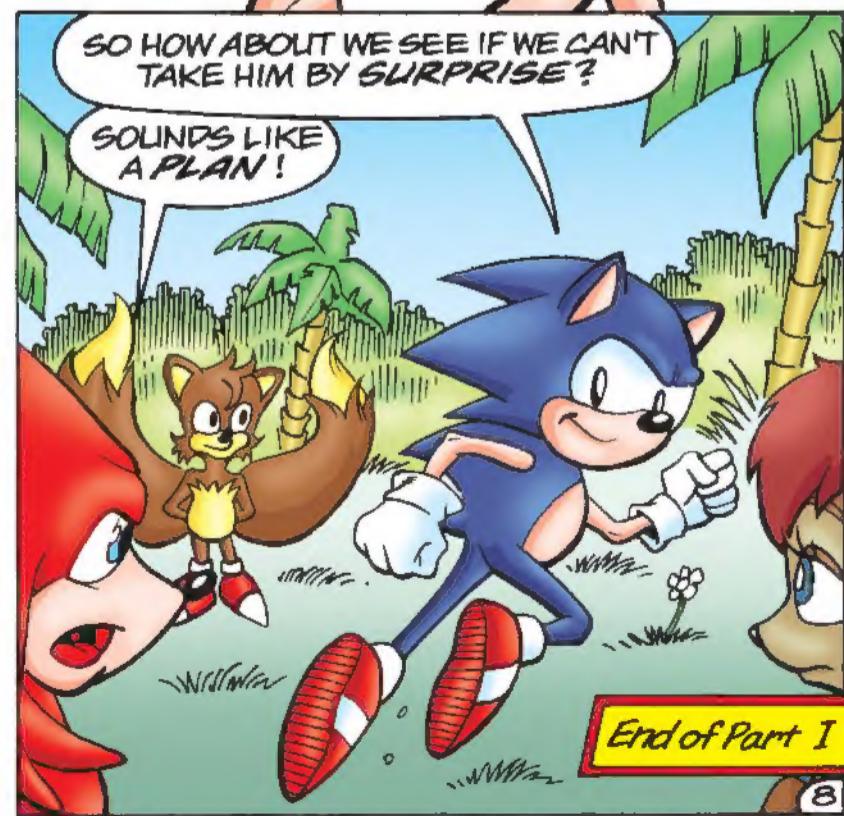
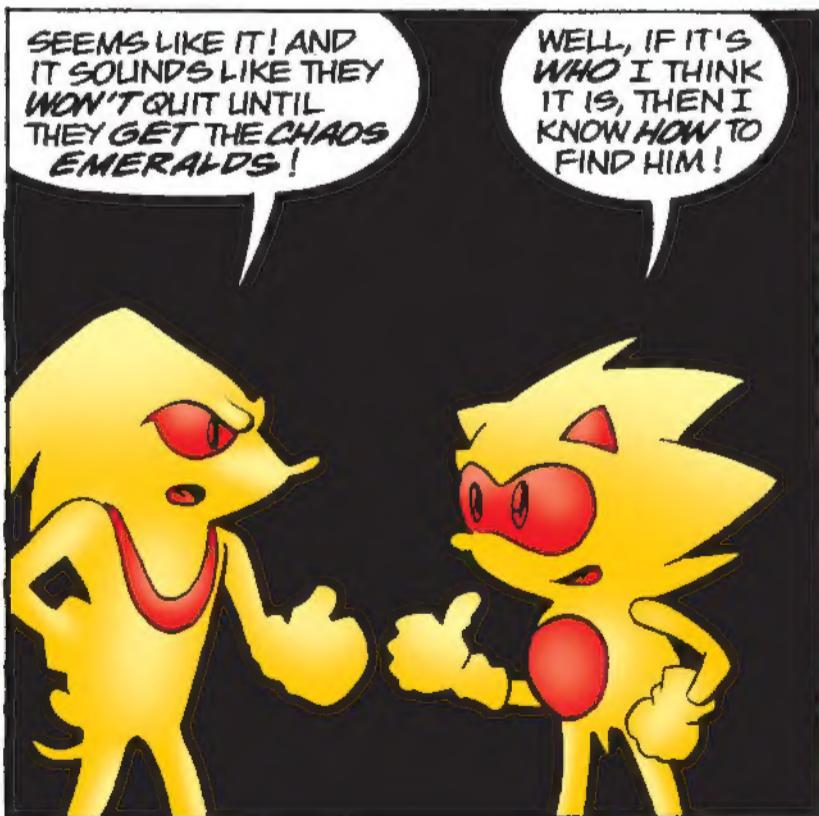
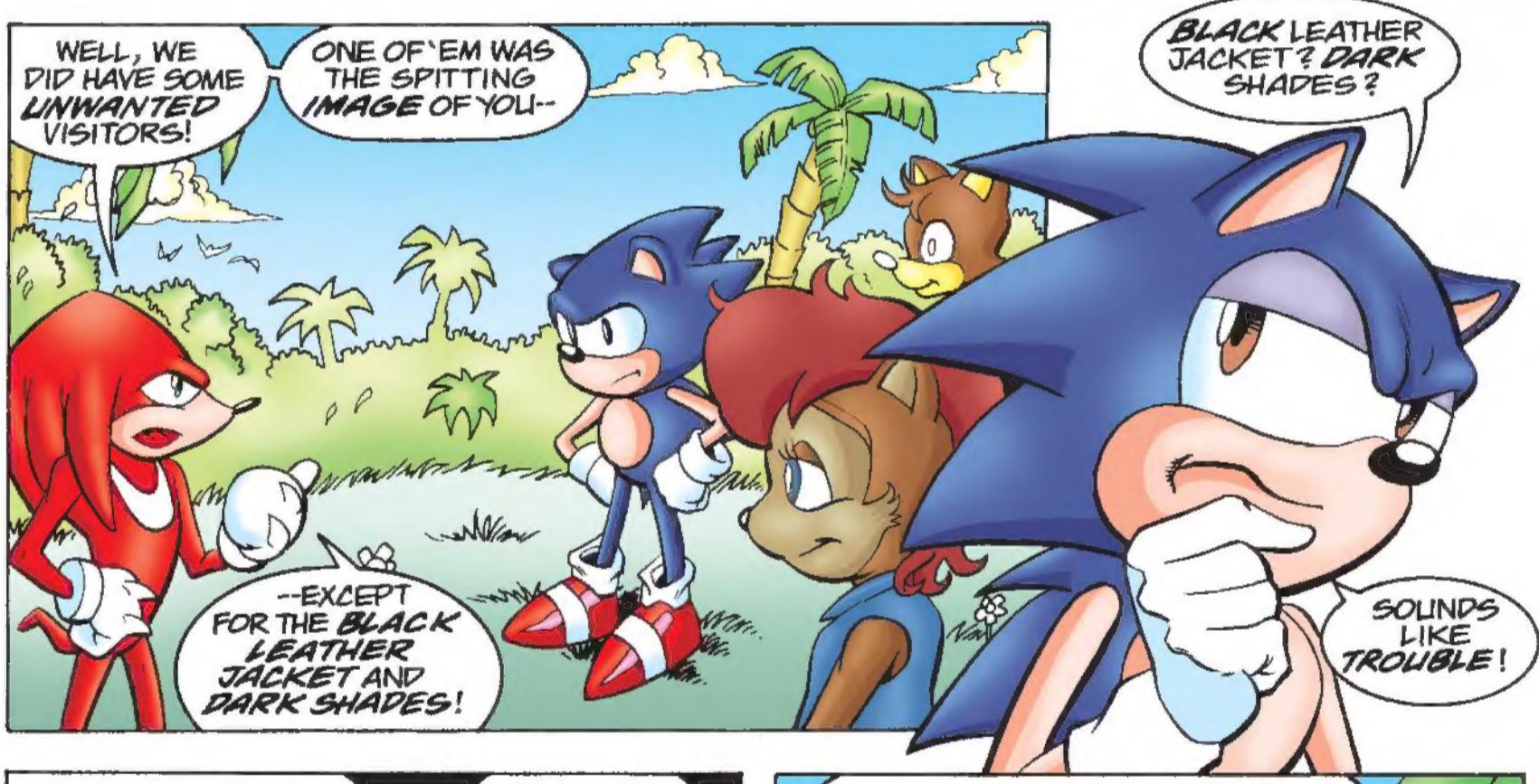
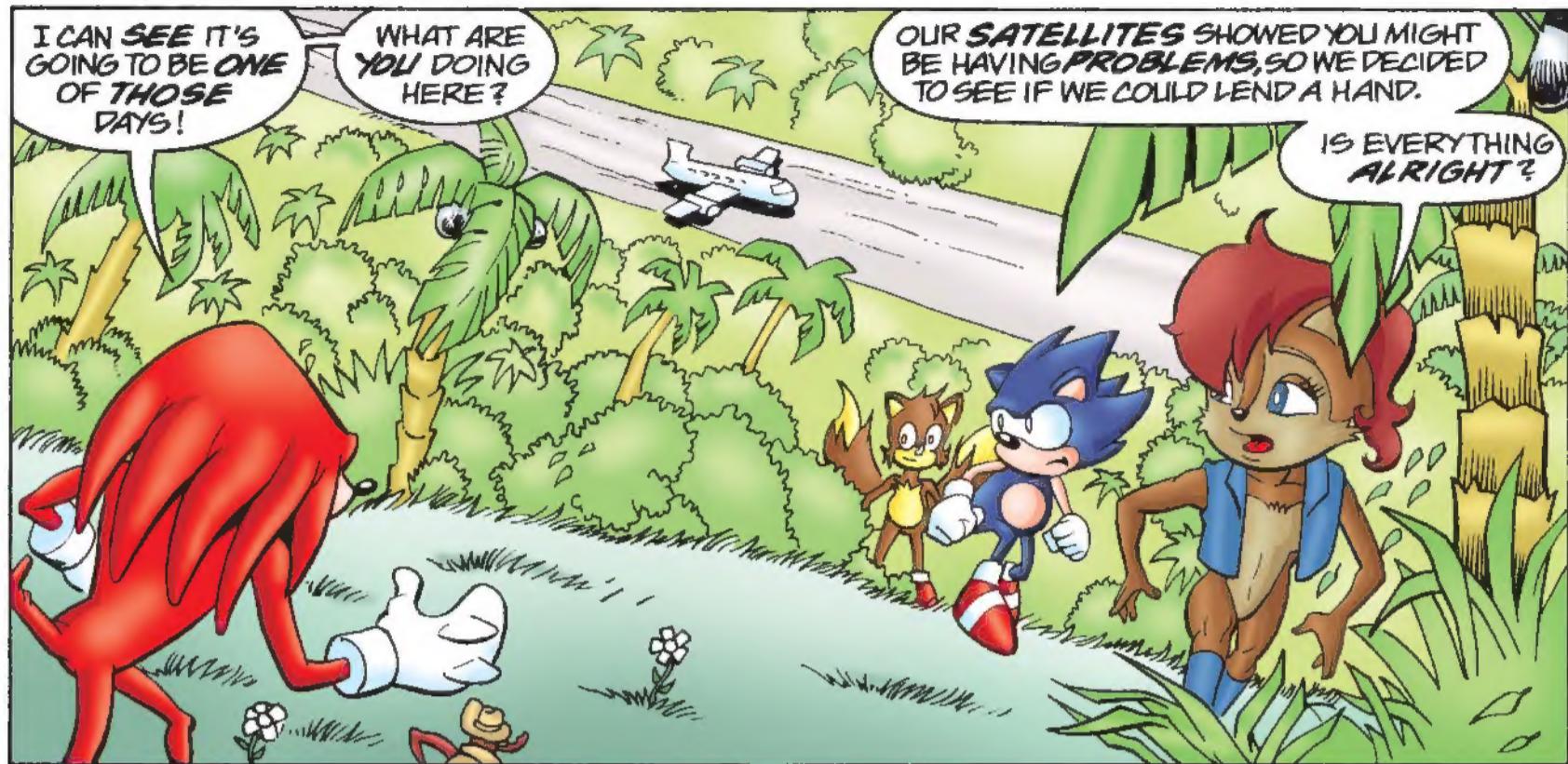












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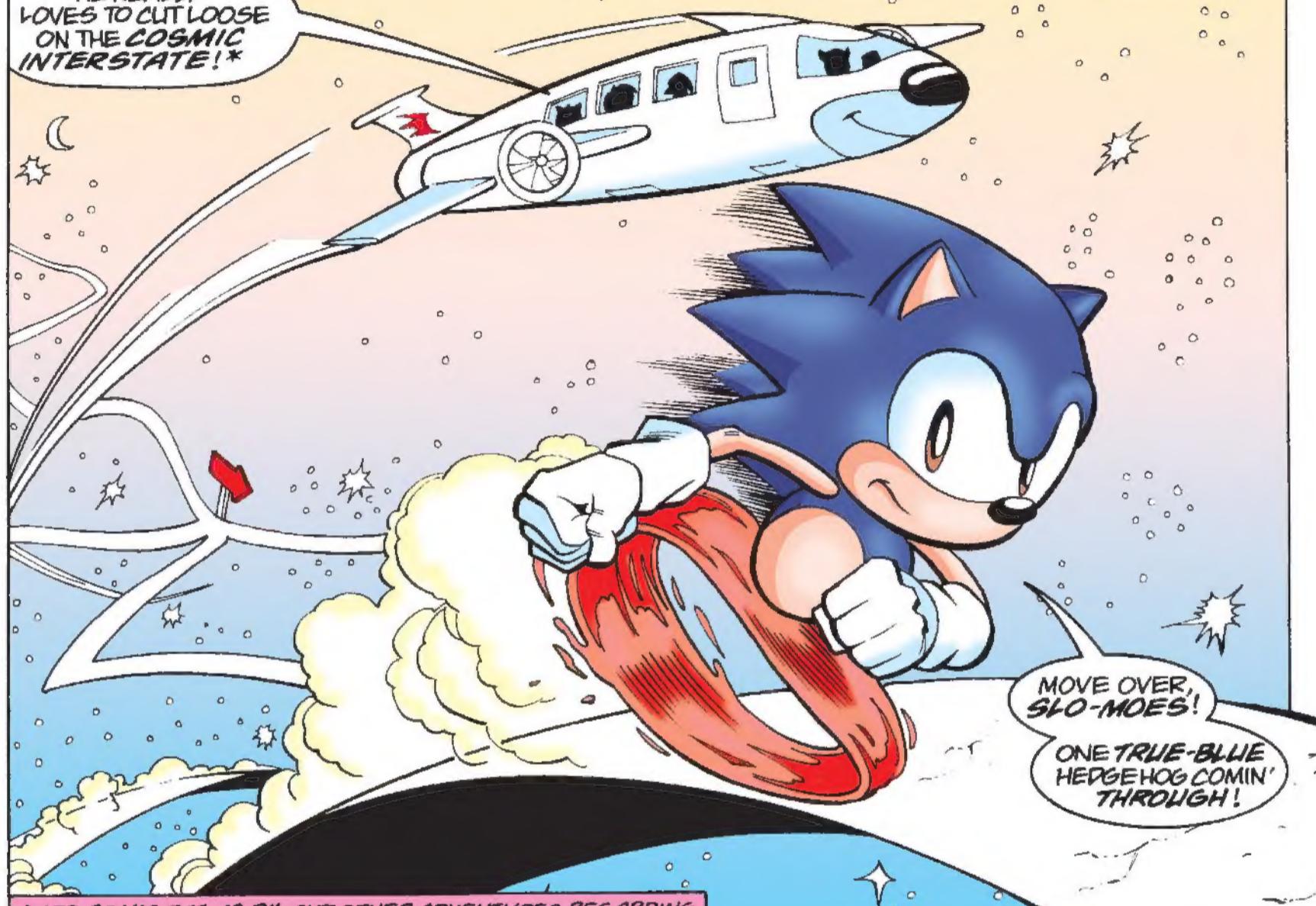
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GO!

HE REALLY
LOVES TO CUT LOOSE
ON THE COSMIC
INTERSTATE!*

BLACK AND BLUE AND RED ALL OVER

PART II



*SEE SONIC #11, 19, 24, AND OTHER ADVENTURES REGARDING THE COSMIC INTERSTATE, A LONG AND WINDING ROAD THAT TAKES YOU ANYWHERE FROM HERE TO THERE! --EDITOR.

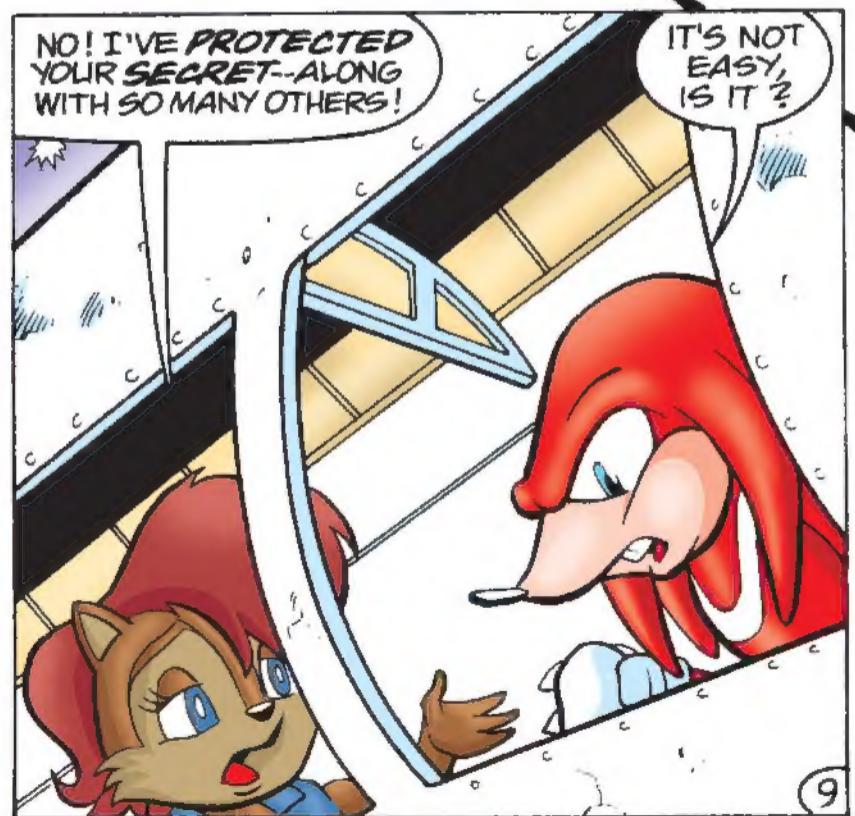
HE DOESN'T
KNOW, DOES
HE?

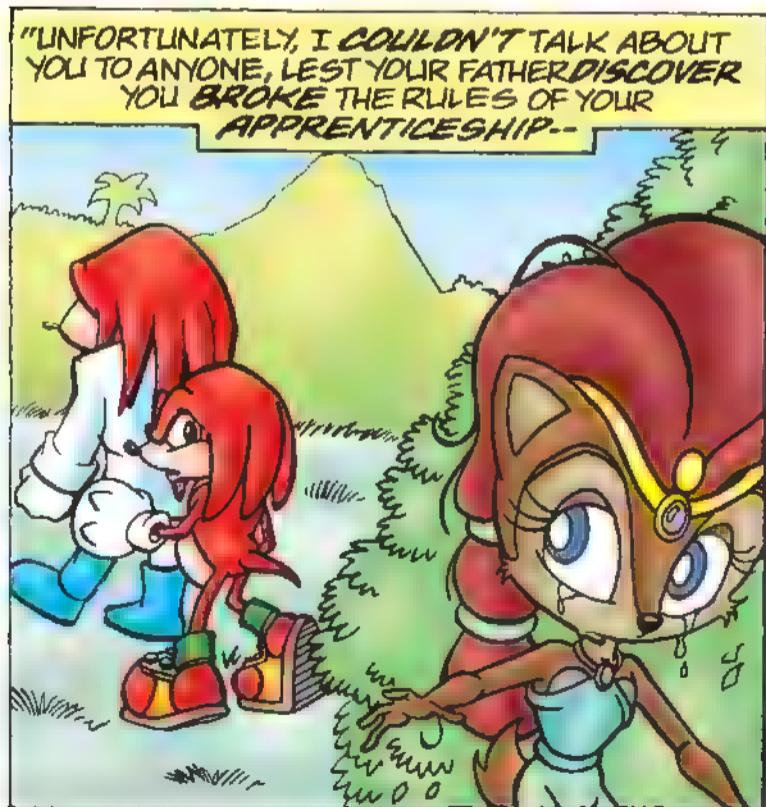
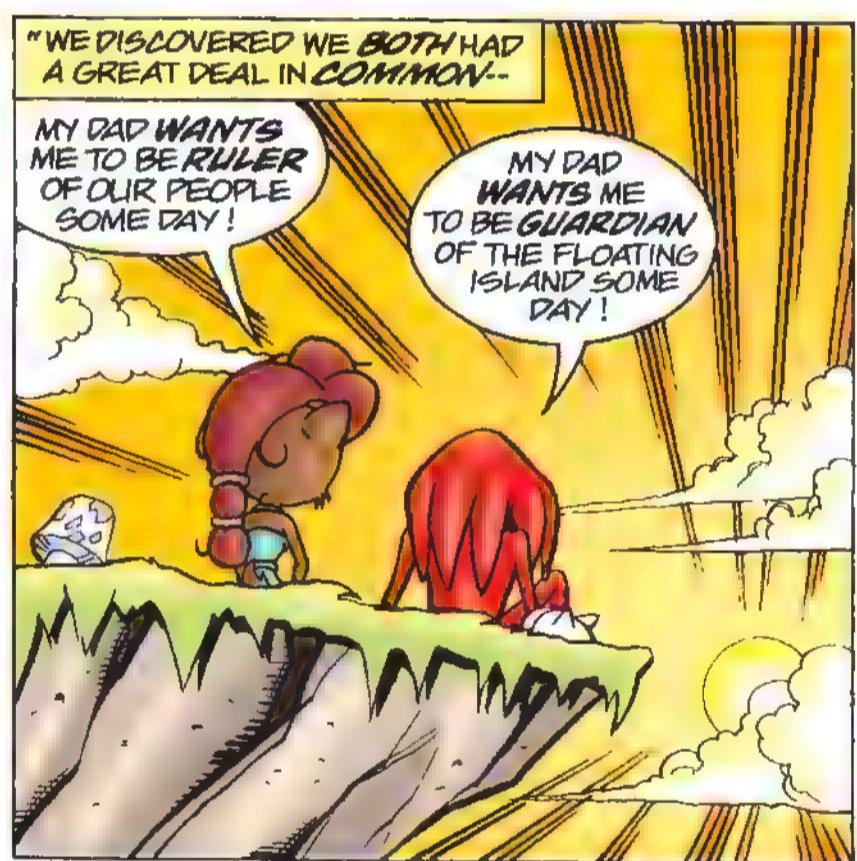
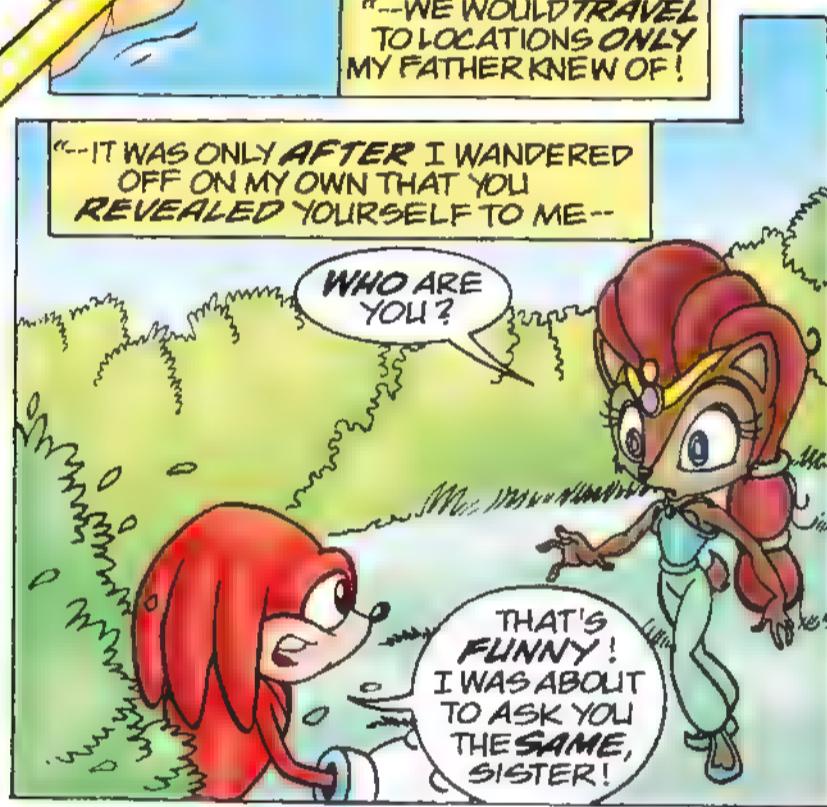
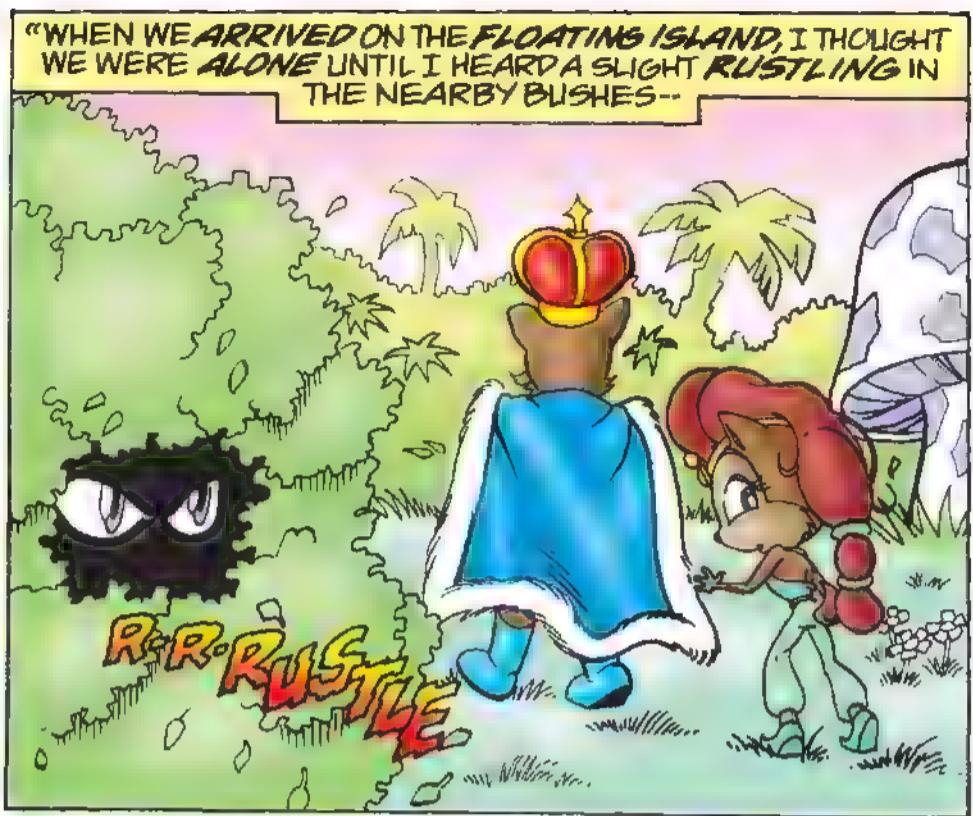
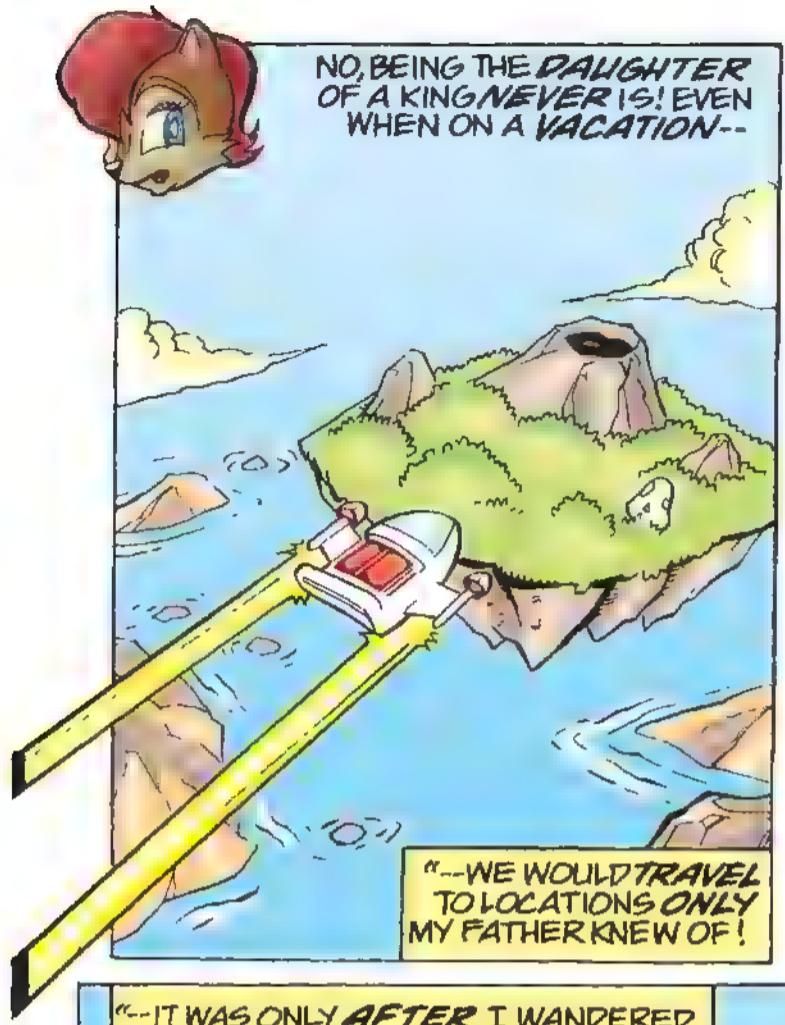
KNOW
WHAT?

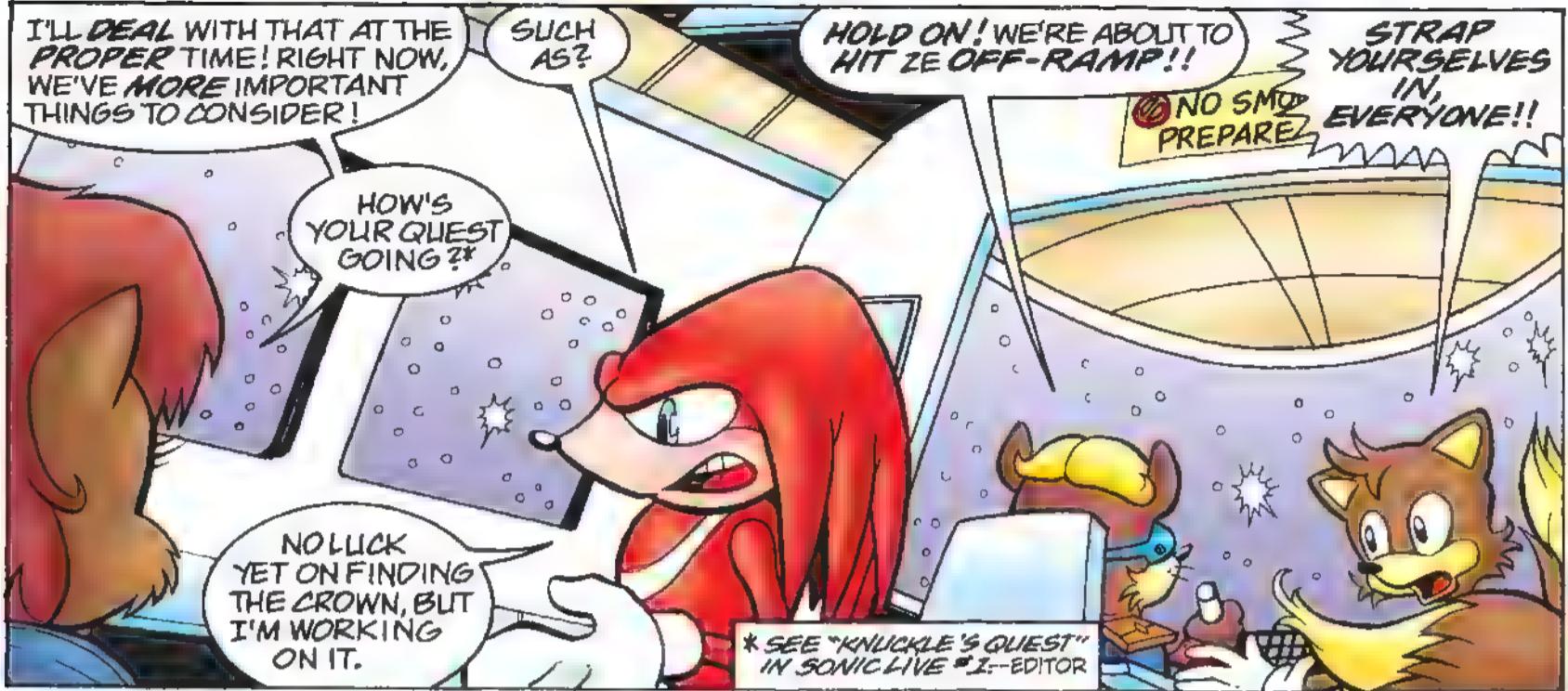
ABOUT YOUR
KNOWLEDGE OF
THE FLOATING
ISLAND--
OR US!

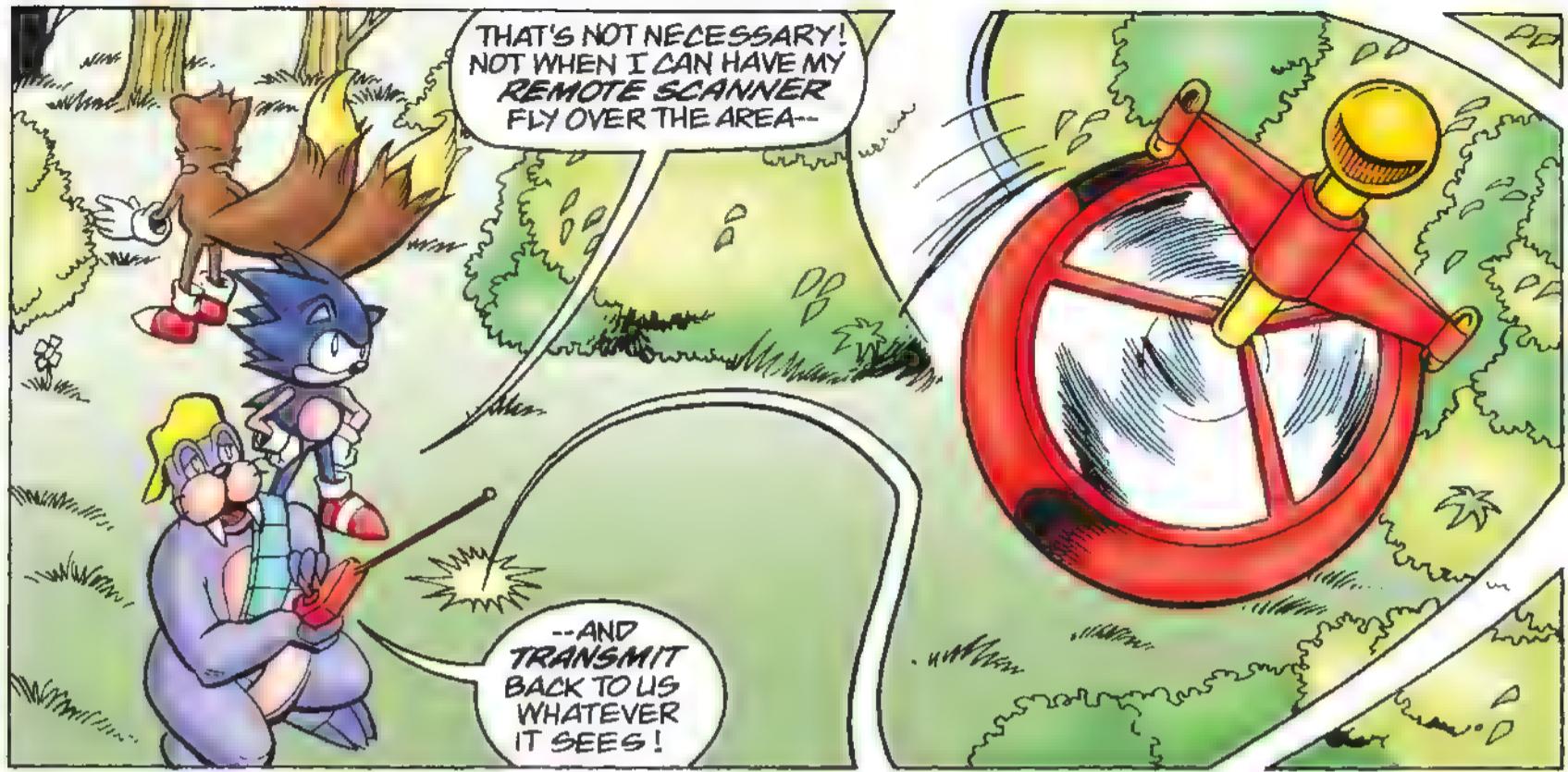
NO! I'VE PROTECTED
YOUR SECRET--ALONG
WITH SO MANY OTHERS!

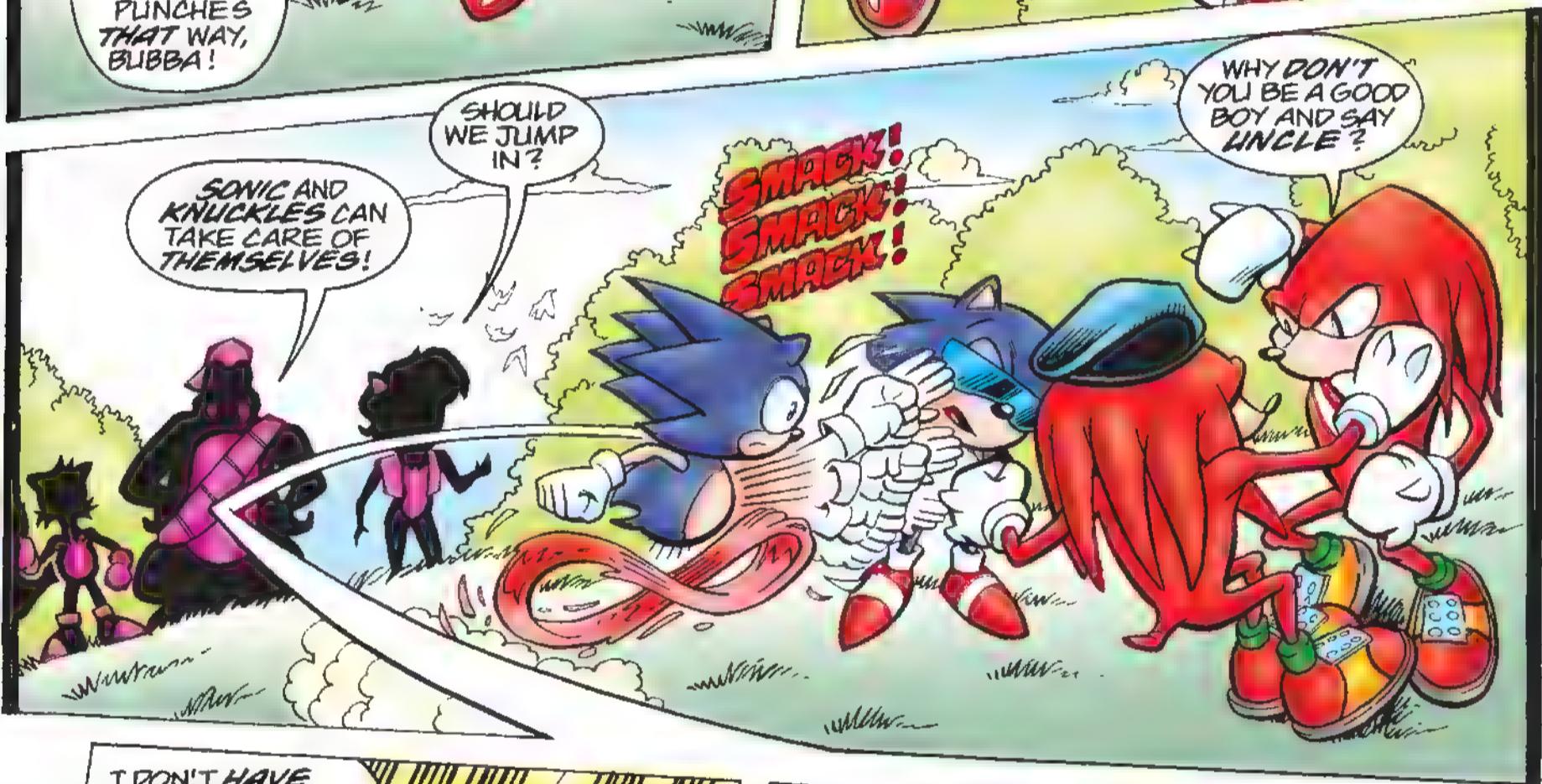
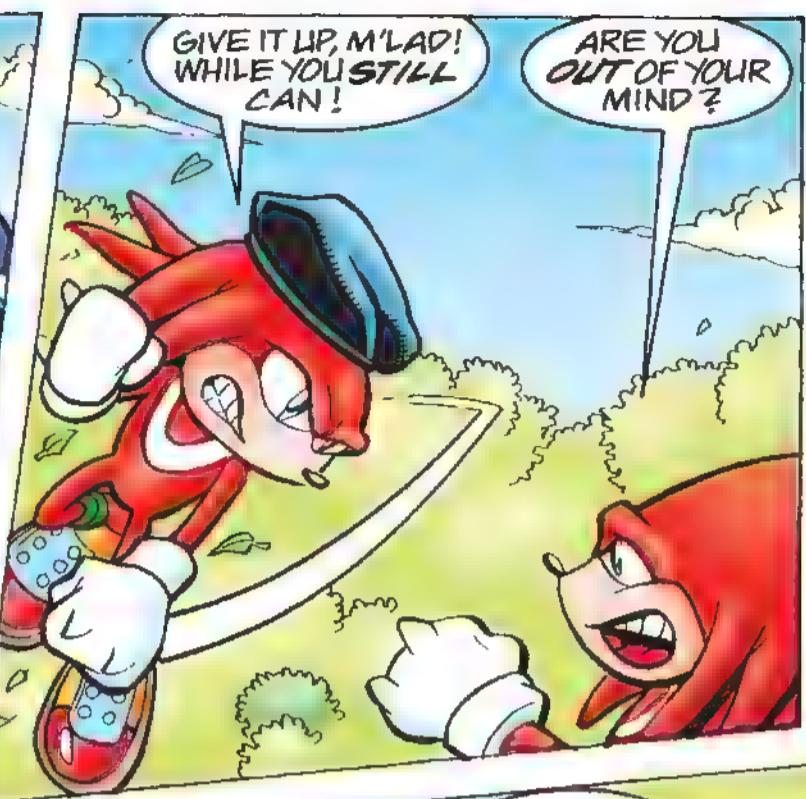
IT'S NOT
EASY,
IS IT?

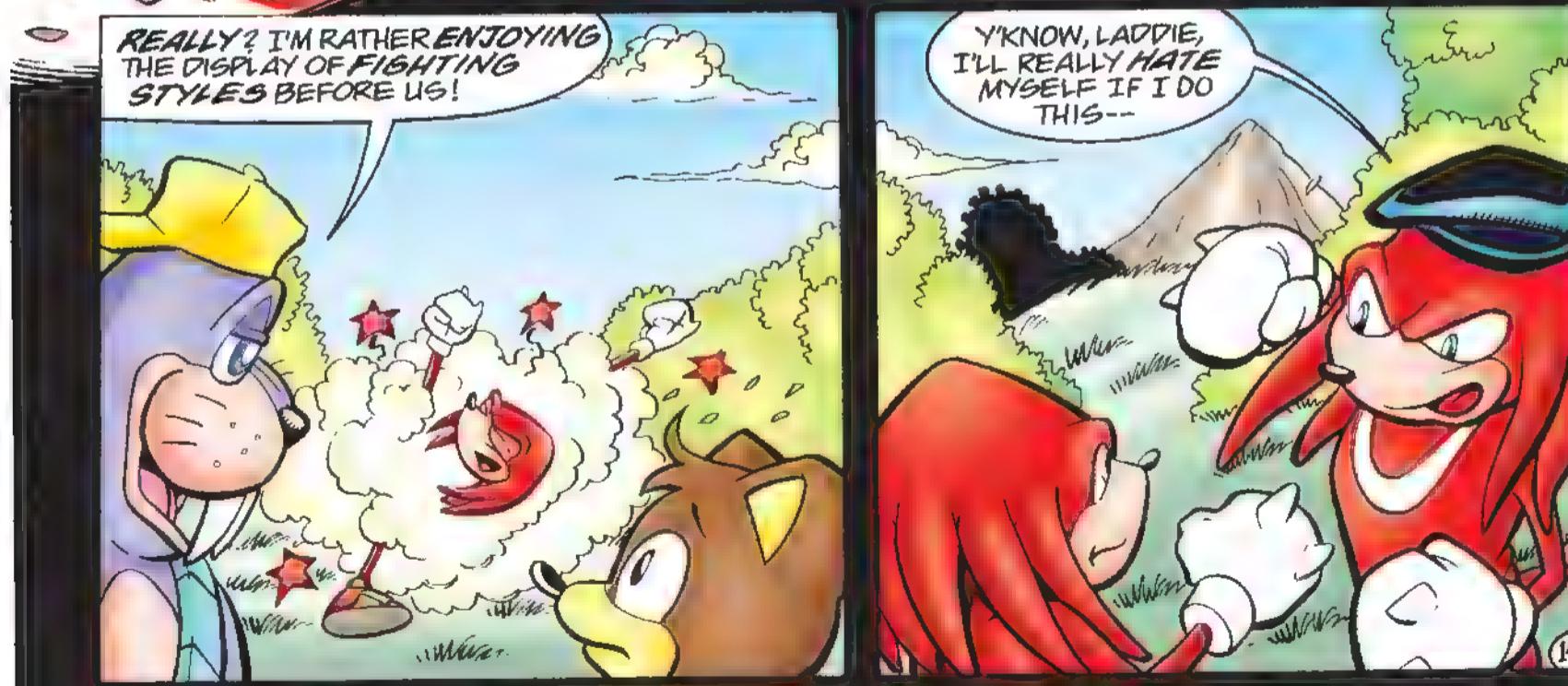
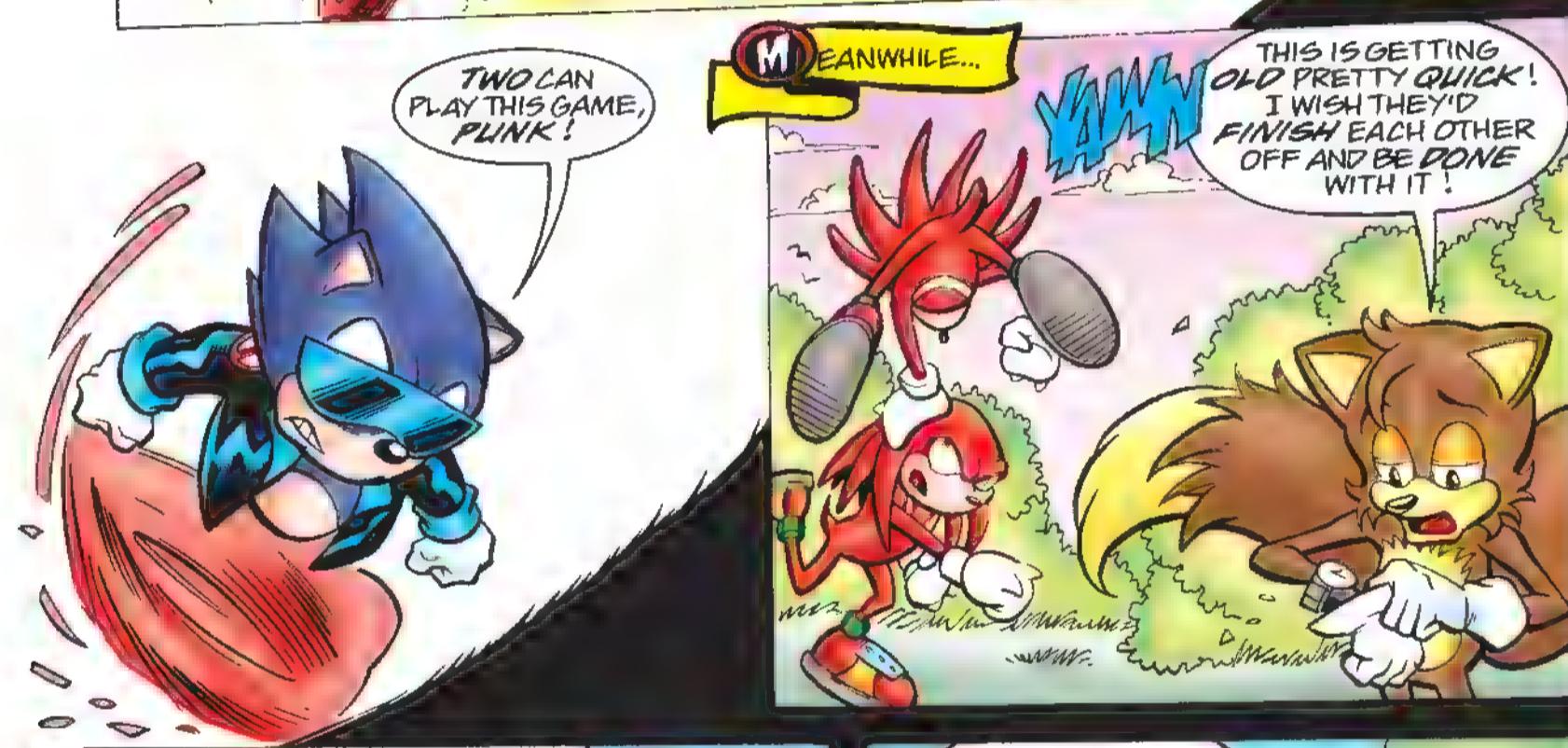
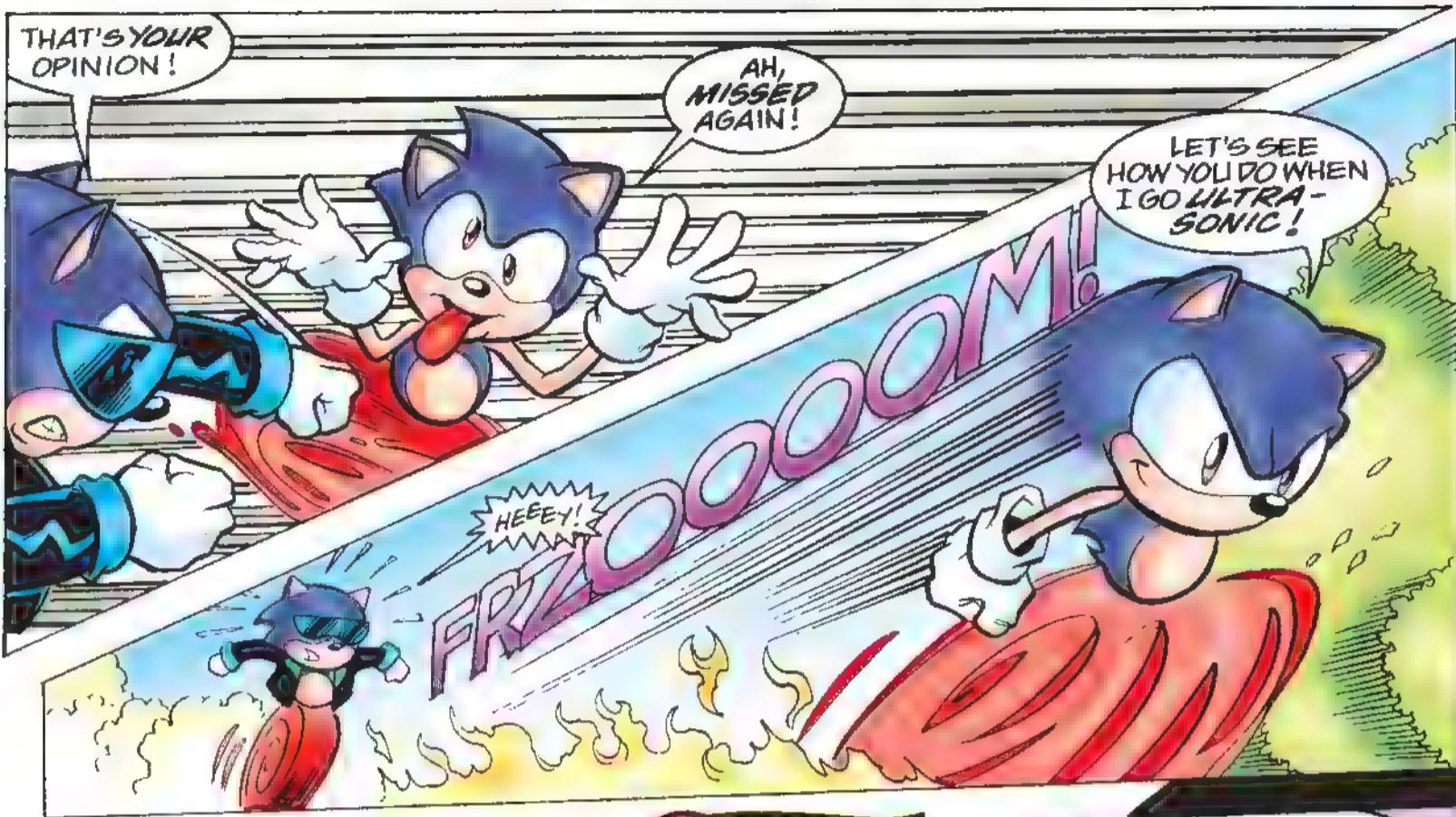


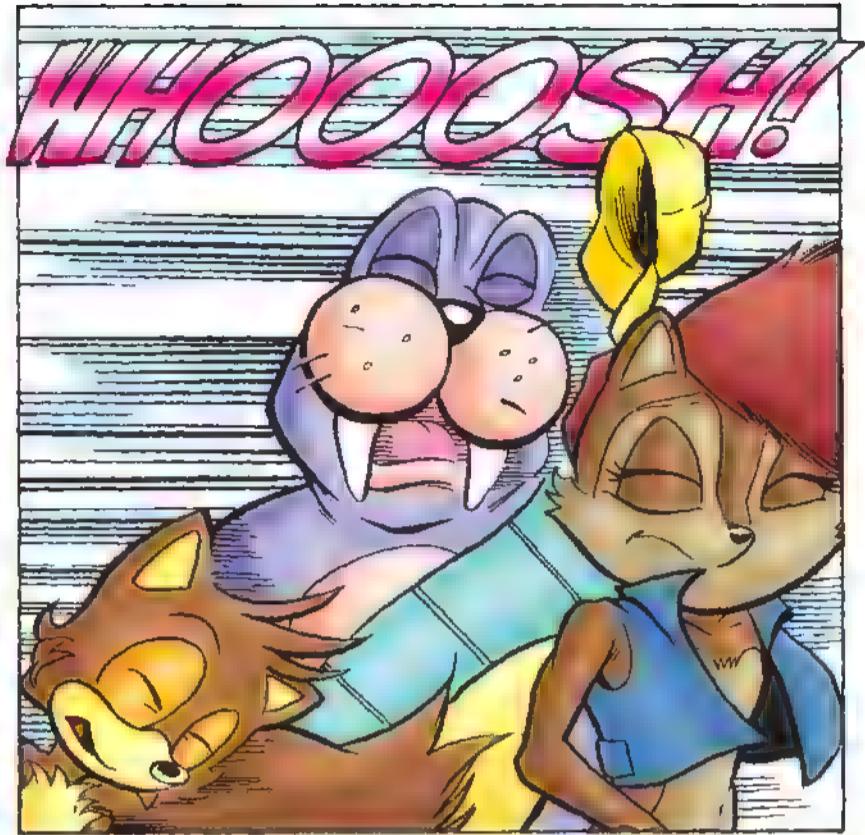


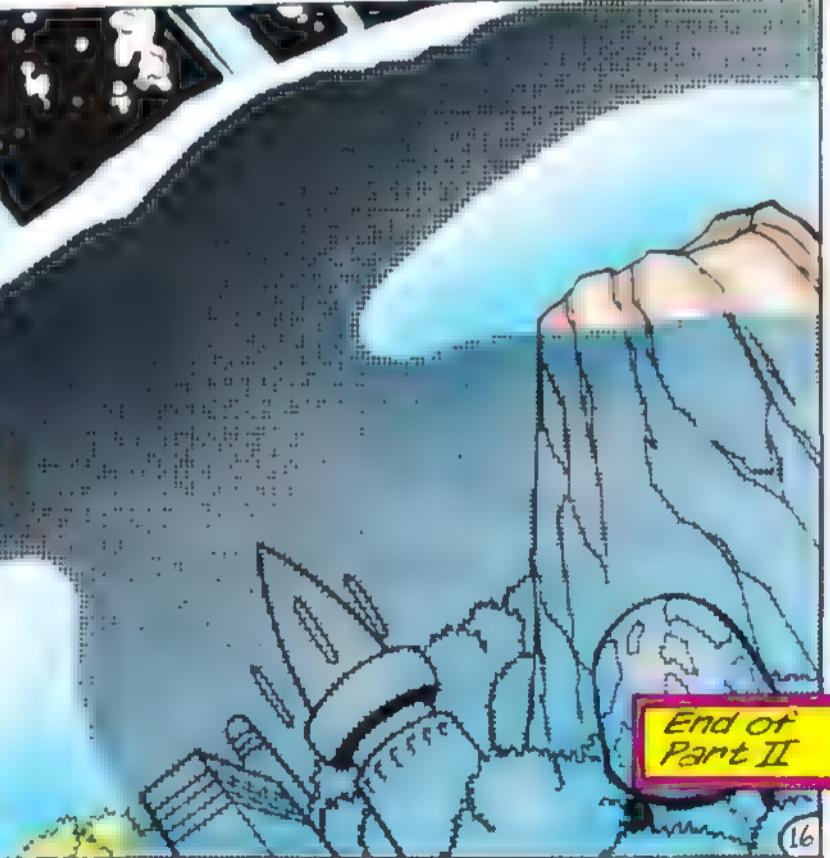
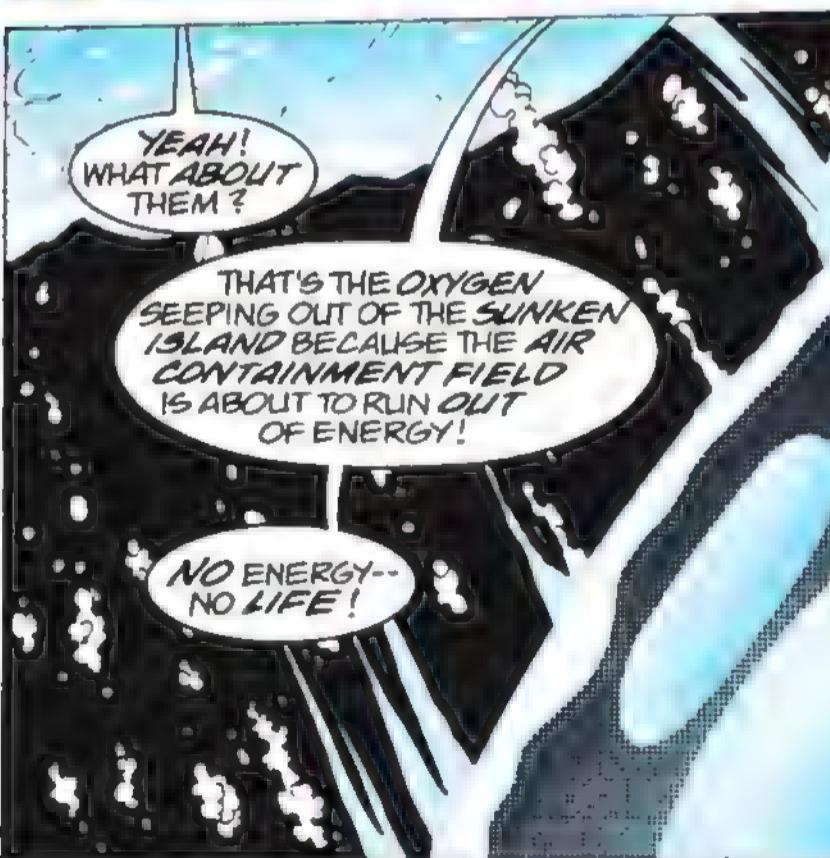












ATLANTINOPOLIS
IS STRAIGHT AHEAD,

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

WE SHOULD BE
PULLING INTO THE
STATION IN
LESS THAN 30
SECONDS!

WAY-
COOL!



THAT'S
PUTTING IT
MILDLY,
SONIC!

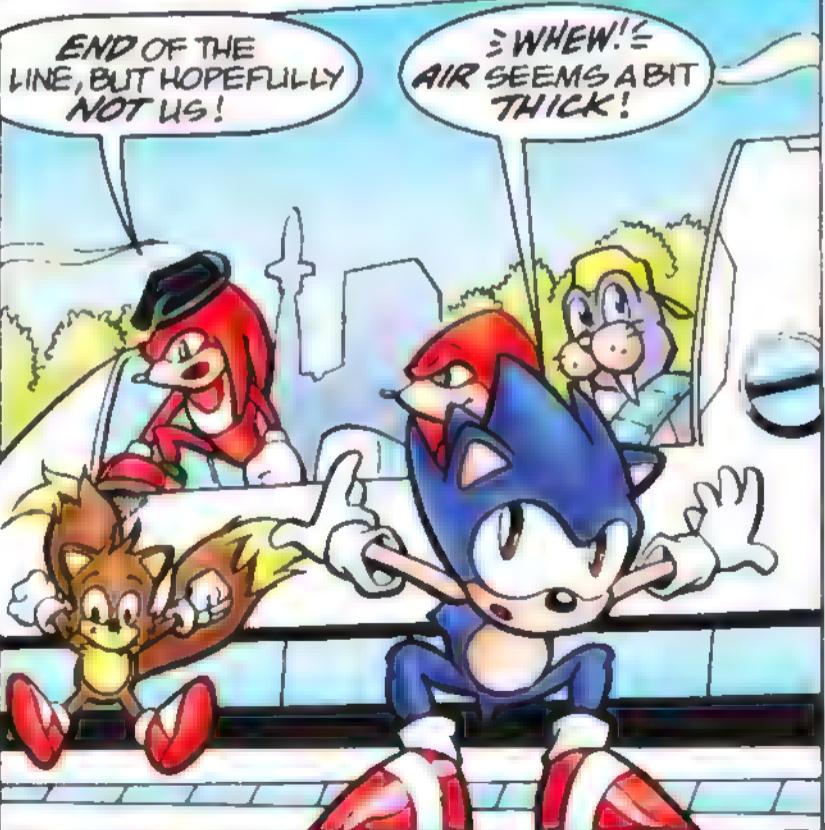
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PART III

UNLESS WE JERRY
RIG SOMETHING FAST
TO POWER THE AIR
CONTAINMENT FIELD--

--IT'LL GET
EVEN
THICKER!

HOLD IT! DO
YOU GUYS HEAR
SOMETHING?



END OF THE
LINE, BUT HOPEFULLY
NOT US!

WHW!
AIR SEEMS A BIT
THICK!



